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Des Moines, IA
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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119 Lbs	36180	103.71	-0.25
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	198558	109.58	1.36
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	2379865	132.84	-3.71
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	851279	85.40	-0.89
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	139428	196.13	2.77
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	36147	114.39	0.84
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	146989	122.98	1.09
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	459373	119.15	3.31
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	51820	121.26	-2.20
Coarse Ground Blend 80%			1054681	89.56	-1.10
Coarse Ground Blend 85%			190610	103.87	-1.25
<u>Cuts/Boneless Processing Items</u>					
Boneless Chuck 85%				102.30	-3.80
Top Inside Round 12-16 Lbs				136.30	0.60
<u>Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh</u>					
90% Chemical Lean			38.0	90.63	-5.17
50% Chemical Lean			7380267	20.75	0.25



Pork

Pork Loins, Fresh 1/4" Trim	21 Lbs/dn	26.0	81.21	1.23
Boston Butt, Fresh 1/4" Trim	5-10 Lbs	30.0	53.28	3.91
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 Lbs	4.0	98.38	-3.62
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 Lbs	24.5	63.71	2.33
	20-23 Lbs	61.0	52.41	0.10
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 Lbs	4.0	73.50	3.25
	16-18 Lbs	4.0	72.00	3.00
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh				
72% Chemical Lean		8.0	28.88	-2.13

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
0.9525-1.0425	0.9925-1.0725

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.1900-1.5500	1.2000-1.5500

Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price – 18-Oct-02

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, November

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
0.9114	+0.0387	-0.4437



Poultry Market News
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Broiler/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 46.67 Chicago 43.91 Los Angeles 65.63

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 127.24 Leg Quarters 17.83
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 121.49 Leg Quarters 15.04

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs
Eastern 70.42 60.82
Central 70.93 62.25
Western 70.67 57.04

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen
Northeast 83.20 Metropolitan Areas
Southeast 76.06 New York 82.00-86.00
Midwest 73.01 Chicago 72.00-76.00
Western 97.78 S. California 93.00-96.00

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 38.00-42.25 Whites 12.50-17.50 Yolks 84.00-85.00
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb
Whole Eggs Whites
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) 54.00-58.00 28.00-42.00
Central 46.00-49.00 22.00-32.00
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 53.00-56.00 28.00-31.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container
Whole 1.64-2.00 Yolks 1.95-2.20 Blends 1.25-1.40



Fruit & Vegetable Market News
Washington, DC
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WA ExFcy, Regular Storage, 100s Containers
TrayPack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA N/A
Pears, Bartlett, U.S. One, 4/5buctns, 100s, Regular Storage, Yakima
Valley & Wenatchee District, WA N/A
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville,
CA N/A
Oranges, Valencias Shippers 1st Grade, 113s ctns, Cntrl & Southern CA
& AZ N/A
Grapefruit, Rudy Red Shippers 1st grade, 36s, Central & Southern CA
& AZ N/A

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA N/A
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA N/A
Celery, 2 1/2 oz ctns, Santa Maria, CA N/A
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA N/A
Peppers, Bell Type, Green; 1 1/9 buctns, large, South GA N/A
Tomatoes, Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or better, 25 lb. Cartons,
6x6s, Eastern TN N/A
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, US One, Jumbo, 50lb Sks, ID and
Malheur County, OR N/A
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, US One, 50lb ctns per cwt, 70s, Upper Valley
Twin Falls, Burley District & Western ID N/A

**Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of
Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping
Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.**